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Victoria, 4th December, 1871.

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Proclamation is therefore hereby made in conformity to a precept directed and delivered to me, to all persons bound to appear at the said Court by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat, and all Justices of the reaces Coroners, and other ofhers who have taken any nequisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witnesses, are required to return such recognizance, inquisition and examination to the said Court, at the opning thereof, on the first day of its sitting.

Given under my hand at the Sheriff's Office.

Victoria, on the Pith day of Dec. A. D., 1871.

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A. C. ELLIGTT, High sheriff.

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will be placed in the hands of an Atterney for collection.
W. B. WILSON. Victoria, 1st November, 1871. Administrator. de2 6w d& w

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE REMOV-ed their Cost and Steamship Agency Office to the brick building ou Whart street adjoining Millard & Victoria, 30th Sept., 1871.

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Wednesday, December 27, 1871. That "Simple Truth." The Ministerial penny-whistle at the ex-capital favored its readers on Wednesday, the 20th, with another "toot"

LOST ON SUNDAY MORNING LAST A Black and Tan Spanied Dog, with a portion of tail cut, answers to the name of "Dash." A suitable readers, the 20th, with another "toot" in praise of the McCreight Administration, and under the caption of "The DR. MILLS BOWDEN. Simple Truth," gives vent to a column of trash. The article assumes to be a reply to one that appeared in these columns but a few days previously, in which we showed conclusively enough to satisfy anyone not blinded by pap or prejudice, destitute of any claim to popular favor, and that so soon as the Legislature leading to the legislature lead to the legislatur that the present Cabinet are utterly meets, its first duty will be to send them to the right-about, and put in their places men who, by virtue of years of toil and conflict in the cause of reform and political freedom, have earned and enjoy the confidence of the people throughout the length and breadth of the country. Like a faithful hireling, the Guardian, instead of adhering to "the simple truth," wanders away into the bypaths of misrepresentation and falsehood, apparently indulging in the fallacious idea that by hurling invectives at the Standard and abusing the liberal party, it will cover up the delinquencies of McCreight & Co, and induce the members of the Legislature to give them that it is pleased to call "a fair trial". and political freedom, have earned and enjoy the confidence of the people party, it will cover up the delinquencies of McCreight & Co, and induce the members of the Legislature to give them what it is pleased to call "a fair trial," when the House meets. Be generous, it argues, and do not condemn them until you have given them a fair trial. We contend they have been tried, and found wanting For more than ten years the people waged undying warfare against a system of government tyran- TEN nical in its administration and ruinous in its effects, when every friend of freedom and well-wisher of the country ar- Street, on rayed himself in opposition to the irresponsible oligarchy who held the reins of power. Where were Messrs.

McCreight, Holbrook and Robertson during those dark days? Examine the records of the past, and expuse to public view the services they have rendered, the labors they have bestowed the sacrifices they have made, in behalf of Responsible Government and the political enfranchisement of the people. We Mountaineer Saloon, challenge the Guardian to produce one single act performed by anyone, or all put together, of the present Cabinet, having for its object the promotion of the public to relieve the people from the galling yoke of a one-man despotic rule. For ought they have done to change the current of affairs, we might still be in the political "gall of bitterness." While others fought, they looked on; while their brains and expending their energies in originating and maturing measuses to relieve the public from the weight of the burdens which pressed so beavily apon them, they slumbered; when every good man and true came forward to enrol his name as a volunteer in the ranks of the Reform League, they stood aloof. It was only after the battle had been fought and the victory won-when the days of pecuniary sacrifice had given place to official position and the dispensation of petronage—when there was nothing to lose but something to gain-that these Skates! Skates! Skates! gentlemen came to the front and were thrust upon the country by Gov. Trutch, LADIES' & GENTLEMEN'S SKATES for as the most convenient and pliable instraments he could employ to do his bidding and work out his policy. Why has Gov. Trutch studiously ignored the claims of every man in the Colony about Confederation and Responbringing sible Government? Why has he made it a point not only to call to his Executive Council men who have either stood aloof from any participation in our struggles for political emancipation or opposed them, but recommended for appointment to the Senate of the Dominion two out of the three gentlemen whose only claim to the distinction is that they invariably opposed Confederation and never in all their lives cast a vote in favor of a liberal measure? The reason is obvious. He was himself bitterly opposed to these reforms, and yielded only when opposition was no longer possible. A fellow-feeling made him wondrous kind, and it was but natural that he should bestow his confidence on those whose political leanings were kindred to his own, rather than upon those whose services to the country in the cause of freedom bad engendered in his breast anything but a friendly feeling. All the whitewashing that the Guardian can possibly perform between this and the meeting of the Legislature. will fail to cover up the political delinquencies of Messrs. McCreight & Co. Those who have not been with the people in their years of struggle and conflict for political freedom, have been against them. We recognize no neutral ground.

The present Cabinet have yet to perform the first act to entitle them to public favor and the confidence of the Legislature ; and to ask the House to forget those who through good report and evil report have stood by the people and led them on to victory, and to bestow their confidence on those who when men were needed to battle for the right skulked in their offices and refused to take part in the struggle, is to ask them to stultify themselves and give the lie to their entire past history. We entertain no ap-

GILBORE, Merchant Tailor, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel, Government street, four THOMAS CHADWICK ing and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Also, Latest Styles.

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Lost ON SATURDAY LAST, between Governmen and Doughas streets, a small Gold Locket, con-ing a miniature and engraved the initials R. E. G. one leaving the same at the STANDARD Office will be

Dog Lost.

FRANK SAUNDERS, The Hall, Fort Street.

MAY BE FOUND OVER H.F.HFIS-terman's Office, Laugley Street, from A. 10 1 P. M. N. B. Back Entrance on Government street. de27

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PIPER'S ANNUAL RAFFLE

-FOR-LARGE

Will take place at his store, Government

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Another Ruffle will take place at the

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welfare or the introduction of a measure For Geese, Sucking Pigs, &c. Also a Gold Watch, a Splendid Rifle and two fine Pistols.

> P. GILLIGAN. Colonist copy.

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"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration
of Three Months from the date heryof, recommend the
issue of Crown Grants
To WILLIAM FARSONS FAYWARD, of East 3/4 of
of Sections 1 and 2, and West 3/4 of
Kanga VI., Chemainus District;
To JAMES DOUG: AN WARREN, of Section 7, Range
VII., Chemainus District; VII, Chemainus District;
And to EDWARD DAVIS HEATLEY and GEORGE
CAMPBELL, of hot 264, Group 1 (one) in the District of New Westm nater:

Unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the

> Land Registry Office, 22d December, 1871. de25 Bale, or to Let at 121/2 cents per hour at DALBY, WILSON & CO. SEWING MACHINES!

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YOUNG MAN T. MAKE HIMSELE Generally Useful in a Saloon. Apply at This Office. Wanted A FEMALE SERVANT. Apply at the

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JAMES & ELIZABETH BLAND.

Requimalt Road. Dec. 21, 1871.

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deers from Yates street, where he is prepared to sell, at reduced rates, Custom Made Cloth-Garments made to order, according to the THE INTERNATIONAL. New Advertisements.

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Groceries&Italian Goods on the Pacific Coast, and by the steame Pacific have received such an assortment of Fruits, Nuts, Lemons, Oranges, Dates, Figs, Bananas,

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be Sold at Prices Cheaper than the Cheapest.

Call and See for Yourselves. "Ga

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BUTCHER

Oriental Market, Fort street near Blanchard. supplied on the most reasonable terms to Fam-lies, Hotels and Shipping, and delivered Free of Charge He would draw particular attention to his Christmas Island Beef, very large) now on hand.

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All kinds of Crochet Work, &c., on hand and made t
Order, Also Embreidery, Braiding and Plath Sewing.
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FOWL? IF SO, GO TO Wm, B. TOWNSEND'S. FORT STREET.

Where you will find the Best the Province can Produce GAME AND FRUITS of All Kinds Constantly on hand. de20

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To Volunteers of the Province and all whom it may Concern, that they can obtain

SWORDS, RIFLES, GUNS. Pistols, &c., (Warranted to kill at 1000 yards) and all other requisites for the Troops of Infantry expected to be out this Christmas; also a Variety of

Musical Instruments. Cornets, Trumpets, Fifes. Drums, &c.,

for Infantry Bands, and a splendid assortment of New Toys and Fancy Goods, table for Presents, which can be had cheap at T. GORRIE'S

Pioneer Toy and Variety Store, FORT STREET, VICTORIA. A CHRISTMAS TREE

WILL BE RAFFLED

at the above store on Saturday Evening, December 30th at 9 o'clock. Tickets to be had at the Store. de20 **\$200** REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST of the burglars who entered London House on saturday night, or for the recovery of the Goods stolen.

For the recovery of any portion of the Goods, a proporon of the reward will be paid. TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL. Victoria, Dec. 18, 1871.

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A CARD. MELL & FINLAYSON WOULD RE-Wines, Spirits, Ale Porter, &c, of every description, at the same same prices they pay to their wholesale friends, and without being compelled to take 2 gallons of each description, and they can rely upon being supplied with the choicest and purest imported.

We have added this branch to our business for the especial convenience of Families.

HOUSEHOLD COAL. Best Quality Only. FOR SALE AT SPROAT & CO'S WHARF.

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of the Latest Fashions from England, New York and San Francisco, consisting of FINE CASSIMERE SUITS. BLACK BEAVER PANTS, FRENCH CASSIMERE PANTS.

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NEW DANCING ACADEMY. NEW YEAR'S BALL A GRAND A GRAND BALL WILL TAKE PLACE

CALICO BALL 92 Will take place at the ALHAMBRA HALL o NEW YEAR'S NICHT. Tickets \$1 50, Admitting Gentleman and Ladies. DANCING TO COMMENCE AT 9 O'CLOCK. and Ladies. T ckets may be had of the following Gentlemen:—I Campbell, F. Richards, D. Green, L. Goodacre, W. McNiff, G. Smith. Doors open at So'clock. Tickets may be had of Mrs Lange, F. campbell, D. Green and F. Saunders del4

Missing Royal Hospital. CUBSCRIBERS TO THE ROYAL HOSpital are respectfully informed that their annual
donatious are now due, and will be thankfully received
by J. G. Norris, Eq., Fort street, who is authorised to
collect them.

AMAN CALL- D THOMAS TAYLOR.

Meterosin, about one month since, and has sinke been
seeing. Any information concerning the whereabouts
of the said T. Taylor will be thankfully received by THOMAS GLEED, E. CRIDGE, Hon. Secretary.

ROYAL EXCHANG HALL, Monday eve., January 1, 1872. Tickets \$1 50 admitting Gentleman

New Advertisemens.

Juvenile Entertainment In Aid of the Funds of the

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

THEATRE ROYAL. Saturday, 6th January 1872, A N ENTERTAIN ENT. SPECIALLY adapted for young people, will be given on the

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The Pit and a limited number of seats upstairs will be reserved for Parents and children, on payment of a small fee to the Librarian seats will be reserved.

Tickets to be obtained at Hibben & Co., and of the Librarian of the Institute. It is specially requested that early application for tickets may be made.

Come, ye citizens and strangers—
Miners, sailors, and western rangers—
Listen to the truthful story
Of FRANK CAMPBELL, of Victoria.
He, in truthful words, will teli you
Just the goods he has to sell you;—
Mind ye, now, he isn't joking
If you are fond of Chewing and Smeking.
Or if you are given to suuffing.
What he keeps does not need puffing.
What he has stock, and his opinion
Is, that none can suit you better.
They will please you to the letter.
His cigars, just from "Hayana,"
Smoke in the most beautious manner;
Meerchaum pipes of style and fashion,
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His tobaccoes are celebrated:
Green Seal, Straight Cut, what they call "go,"
Big Cut, Big Lick, Wine Sap, also;
All the fine cut brands for chewing,
That your teeth will never ruin.
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoker,
Cards for playing "sinch or poker;"
Pipes of brier and stems of cherry,
Hore than any man can carry,
It would take a week to tell you,
All the things he has to sell you.
While in town you may be stopping,
At the "Adelph' Corner, drop in.
Campbell you'll find at that lecation,
Ready to give you information;
Or to see you well provided
With what is by all decided,
The smokers or the chewers glory,
The best and cheapent in Victoria. The smokers or the chewers glory. The best and cheapest in Victoria

F. CAMPBELL. Adeiphi Corner Virginia Tobacconist.

ST. JOHN'S DAY. A Grand Ball In Honor of the Inauguration of the

Grand Lodge of British Columbia. Will take place on WEDNESDAY, DACEMBER 27, 1871,

ALHAMBRA HALL Under the Management of the Masonic Fraternity of Tickets to Admit Gentleman & Ladies \$5 Masons can obtain Tickets for themselves and friends, on

ation to the secretary W. B. WILSON, Wharf Street, COMMITTEE: H. L. Jones, R. Lewis, W. Spark, C. Thorne, S. Duck, W. Dalby, W. B. Wilson, T. Shotbelt, H. F. Heisterman, A. Couves, H. Frown, J. A. Grahame, R. P. Rithet, J. S. Drummond, S. T. Styles, W. B. Wilson,

Alhambra Dancing Academy. A NEW DANCING CLASS WILL, be formed at the Athambra Hall, on Friday evening, Dec. 12d, and will continue during the section.

Regular nights of meeting Tuesday and Friday del8.

Christmas, 1871. BEAUTIFUL GOODS !

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS' PRESENTS JUST RECEIVED AT

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New Fruits! New Fruits! CANDIED PEELS, &c. MAKE YOUR MINCE MEAT GOOD, and if it is to be good, you must get the ingre-

PROMIS & SAUNDERS. The Celebrate - Grocers, on Johnson Street, who received by last steamer from San-Francisco and the ship Mona-tain Ash, from London, the largest and best stock of MALAGA & SULTANA RAISINS, ZANTE CTRRANTS,

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CHEESE, HEYWOOD'S RACON, HAMS, and LARD. My Stock is unequalled by any establishment north of San Francisco, my Prices are very low, and I welcome the Put-lic to inspect the same before making their Holiday Furchases claswers.

A. RICKMAN.

Government & Fort Streets

The Daily Standa Wednesday, December 27. sensecration of the Mr. W. Lodge of Ancient Free and septed Masons of British

At 2 o'clock p. m. yesterday, R. Robert Burnaby, Past Dist. Grand M. assisted by R. W. Bro. James 2 hame, Past Deputy Grand Master, Wost Worshipful Israel Wood Worshipfal Israel Wood Powel of British Columbia, in anci-form, after which the following form, after which the follow efficers were invested and installed by

R. W. Bro. J. F. McCreight, Deputy Master; R. W. Bro. Simeon Duck, Grand Warden; R. W. Bro. Thes. Ha Master; R. W. Bro. Simeon Duck, Grand Warden; R. W. Bro. Thos. Ho acting Junior Grand Warden; V. V. M. W. Waitt, Grand Treasurer; P. V. Heisterman, Grand Secreta Bro. F: Gribbell, Grand tro. W. Clarke, Senior Grand I W. Bro. W. Clarke, Senior Grand I. W. Bro. I. Raggazoni, Junior Grand I. W. Bro. R. Lewis, Grand Superinten Works; W. Bro. Eli Harrison, Grand the of Ceremonies; W. Bro. W. Grand Marshall; W. Bro. S. L. Kelly Pursuivant; W. Bro. J. J. Austic, Gr sanist; W. Bro. W. B. Wilson, Grand ard-bearer; W. Bro. J. Winger, Steward; W. Bro. Jas. Crump, Steward; W. Bro. P. J. Hall, G. and T. The M. W. the Grand Master stated had also appointed W. Bro. H. B. Spencer Thompson, J. C. Hughes, Stewards; after which, Grand Lod

opened in ample form, and consecrated in ancient form with the M. W. Robert Burnaby, Past Gen was then presented by the M. W. Master, with a most magnificent Master's jewel, the gift of the

The Tale-Lytton Ottawa Bie

We learn, says the Guardian of t from the men who came down yes Capt. Houghton, of Okanagan, was by acclamation, there being no one to propose Mr. Walkem. This is a nected triumph, and we congratulate pected triumph, and we congratisate trict on securing the services of a get of Mr. Houghton's standing in society

THE WAGON ROAD .- The Guardian formed by late arrivals from above, t roads are in a fearful condition between Cook's Ferry and Lytton, and to Yale. The ice and snow has Jorn sort of incline from the bank to of the road, so that locomotion of its most difficult and dangerous. It team from three to four days to teavel miles, from Nicomen to Lytton, and trians are frequently compelled to co their hands and knees to escape aliding over the edge of the road break at China Bluff has been sepa that, with the exception of the o be comparatively open.

THE CHURCHES ON CHRISTMAS DAY churches were but thinly attended on mas Day; the severity of the weather h the usually large congregations futting appearance. Service was held at the leyan, and choral services were conducted by the services was sung, and at Christian Christian (repeated on Christmas Day), a new Mass, brought from Rome by Father Swas sung, under the direction of Mr. the choir of this charch. St John's Andrew's are handsomely decorated cordance with the custom winch h vailed at this season from older hime

WASHINGTON TERRITORY .- Car Bos s performing tour of the Sound. turning to Victoria. Port Gauble Hall will be dedicated to-day Mr. Erans will deliver the oration. Itwas that the Bellingham Bay coal mi steamer Lively are completedy So continues to whiten the ground of the tery, and the cold weather in that se about as intense as we have it here.

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Consecration of the M. W. Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of British Columbia.

At 2 o'clock p. m. yesterday, R. W. Bro. R, assisted by R. W. Bro, James A. Gra. at Kamloops, thus showing the progress of Worshipful Israel Wood Powell Grand Master of British Columbia, in ancient and

W. the Grand Master :-H. F. Heisterman, Grand Secretary; V. W. & Rev. Bro. F: Gribbell, Grand Chaplain; W. Bro. W. Clatke, Senior Grand Deacon; W. Bro. I. Raggazoni, Junior Grand Deacon; W. Bro. R. Lewis, Grand Superintendent of Grand Marshall ; W. Bro. S. L. Kelly, Grand Pursuivant; W. Bro, J. J. Austin, Grand Organist; W. Bro. W. B. Wilson, Grand Standard-bearer; W. Bro. J. Winger, Grand

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The Wale-Lytton Ottawa Blection.

We learn, says the Guardian of the 23rd, from the men who came down yesterday, that made out until he vessel was close upon it, in their praises of the good table he kept; so much so, that many remain there in prefer by acclamation, there being no one present wear her, but several of her sails being bown pected triumph, and we congratulate the district on securing the services of a gentleman not sufficient canvas to handle her and she of Mr. Houghton's standing in society.

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the usually large congregations putting in an by noon. appearance. Service was held at the Wes-Cathedrals. At the latter on Christmas eve, (repeated on Christmas Day), a new Italian Mass, brought from Rome by Father Seghers, mails and Gerow & Johnson's express. ras sung, under the direction of Mr Digby
Palmer, who has now the sole management of
For Burrand Inler — The steamer Emma deposit lies hidden for the present, but will be discovered and developed as man's require vailed at this season from olden times.

Hall will be dedicated to-day; Mr. Elwood tendance. Erans will deliver the oration. It was reported that the Bellingham Bay coal mine was From the Inlet-The steamer Grappler practical miners, such as have returned by duction to the teacher, nor did I even enjoy the last two trips of the U ter. Further, I am duction to the teacher, nor did I even enjoy to last two trips of the U ter. Further, I am duction to the teacher, nor did I even enjoy the last two trips of the U ter. Further, I am duction to the teacher, nor did I even enjoy to last two trips of the U ter. Further, I am duction to the teacher, nor did I even enjoy the last two trips of the U ter. steamer Lively are completed. Snow still continues to whiten the ground of the Territory, and the cold weather in that section is about as intense as we have it here.

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Poises Count .- We had anticipated goodly harvest at the Police Court yesterday, after the holidays. Agreeably disappointed were we, for there were but two cases of assault preferred against Indians and by Indiane. Mr. P. Murphy charged a man with breaking \$5 worth of glass, for which \$10 was ordered, or 7 days in jail:

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N. P. TERRINUS .- Olympia has been made Railroad. It is rumored the Railroad Company will purchase the interests and property of the Puget Sound Navigation Co.

LADNCH .- Mr. Spratt will launch his new steamer, which he has built on San Juan to-day, with another beavy mail. wheel steamer of two hundred tons register, Trinity Centre, where the sterm is more shelent Sodom supported any schools, but I revenge in trying to bort a decent institu-

Maigland Intelligence.

gestion of the lungs. At one time he owned cepting the donation of lands offered by the the property now held by Moody, Dietz & citizens. This will probably be used as a

The Guardian hears of the discovery of gold up about Kamloops, Scotch creek where it is said to have been found, is 42 miles above Kamloops, and empties into the great Shu-Robert Burnaby, Past Dist. Grand Master E. samp Lake. Four new stores are going up the district around it. A Mr. Chase, of the hame, Past Deputy Grand Master, installed Shuswap Valley, threshed out 80 tons of wheat this season: Mr. Walker, 40 tons, and ample form, after which the following Grand Pringle sell flour at \$12 a barrel, bacon of several others a similar quantity. Duck & officers were invested and installed by the M. the best 25 cents a pound, and beef at 10 cents. The wagon road from Spence's R. W. Bro. J. F. McCreight, Deputy Grand bridge down, is in a very unsafe condition R. W. Bro. Simeon Duck, Senior for travel. A party of E glishmen from Mon-Warden; R. W. Bro. Thos. Harris, as tana, have located a 2000 acre prairie for Junior Grand Warden; V. W. Bro.
Waitt, Grand Treasurer; P. W. Bro.
Heisterman, Grand Secretary; V. W.
Bro. F: Gribbell, Grand Chaplain;
ford is about locating land between Cornwall's and Cache creek, with a view of putting in 300 acres of wheat next spring.

The settlers around Hasting's Mill, Burrard Works; W. Bro. Eli Harrison, Grand Direc- Inlet, want a school, and are taking measures ter of Ceremonies; W. Bro. W. Dalby, to that end. The Guardian wants more frequent trips of the Enterprise, particularly about this time. Mr. Keary of the Telegraph Hotel, New Westminster, met with broken Steward; W. Bro. Jas. Crump, Grand drawing a load of wood, when he was drag-Steward; W. Bro P. J Hall, G and Tyler. ged, the wagon going over him. The Semiabmoo trail petition is to be placed before week at Moody's Mill, from effects of an injury received on the chest from a blow of a piece of wood The "U" party estimate the Shuswap Lake to be at an altitude of 513

Wreck of the Shooting Star.

The bark Shooting Star, Captain Austin, coal, went ashore at the north east end of Henry Island on Saturday night last during much difficulty. They all expressed theman heavy gale from the north east. The night sels well satisfied with the treatment they to propose Mr. Walkem. This is an unex- away amongst which were her foresaid a few will return with the Otter in January, not sufficient canvas to handle her and she open I was informed that twenty miners went ashore on what we are told is a rather would remain at Woodcock's, and from 30 to bad spot. Captain Austin arrived in town 40 would live in small houses and cabins THE WAGON ROAD.—The Guardian is inin one of the ship's boats on Monday and in the neighborhood, as they can live much cheaper than in Victoria, game and fish being formed by late arrivals from above, that the North Pacific, to engage a steamer to try and how the part of the part

Missing .- The transit man of the U survey aliding over the edge of the road. The party has left unexpectedly for San Fran- passed through before reaching Milibank break at China Bluff has been repaired, so cisco, and the field notes in his possession that, with the exception of the obstacles are missing. They are of no use but to the advise them to make one with Capt. Lewis ing the scenery.

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We left Nanaimo early on Wednesday

To SKATERS .- Harris' Pond will be swept THE CHURCHES ON CHRISTMAS DAY .- The clear of snow this morning by a party of men gation, except in one or two places that have churches were but thinly attended on Christ- who will pass the hat round to skaters for a mas Day; the severity of the weather hindered small contribution. The work will be done

an, and choral services were conducted at For the Markland.—The Enterprise, Capt. spring up towns, v.llages, hamlets, &c. Comox Bay, at two o'clock p. m., and soon St. John's, and at Christ's and St. Andrew's Swanson will leave for Burrard Inlet on Fri- which the unthinking traveller will smile

the choir of this church. St John's and St. Capt. Douglas, chartered by Messrs. Moody, ments call for them. Gold appears to be a natives. The settlement extends for eight or made of the very best English leathers; and Andrew's are handsomely decorated, in accordance with the custom which has pre-

turning to Victoria. Port Gamble Masonic der of the week. A fine band will be in at-

Inlet, with the bark Ida F. Taylor in tow.

Tun California left Portland yesterday, for

this and Puget Sound ports. East Portland Insane Asylum has 115 place between the two, for rest assured it nale patients, and 44 temale.

THERE will be no meeting of the City Council this evening.

By Glectric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD.

umbia River. Olympia the Terminus of the N. P. Railroad.

OREGON.

PORTLAND, Oregon, Dec. 26 - The steamer Oriffamme arrived early yesterday morning. Se is advertised to sail at 2 p. m. The steamer California, for Sound ports will sail at the same time. It is rumored that the steamers cannot

blocked.

CALIFORNIA. breaking taster than men can repair.

iast night was still rainy, the ground becom-

ing thoroughly soaked,

WASHINGTON TERRITORY. OLYMPIA, Dec. 25-The special agents of Capt. J. O. Smith's remains were buried at the N. P. R. R. have located the temporary Sapperton on Sunday week; he died of con- terminus of that road at this place, by ac-

> A Trip on the Steamer Otter to Skeena River.

[CONCLUDED.]

On Monday the 11th, at 8 p. m., we heard found that the canoes containing those we tain dispatched the Purser to ascertain the news; although we lay close in shore, it was more than an hour before he could reach it in consequence of the strong current which carried the boat several miles north of Port iving on for several days must have so affected some of them as to make them 10 recognisable. But they were soon at home on board the Otter, and appeared thankful, and at a loss to find language sufficiently strong to express their gratitude to Mr. M Ireland, Mr. Fenk, and Capt. Lewis, for the timely aid sent them. In weighing anchor on Tuesday morning, they collected on deck Hotel, New Westminster, met with a broken for the purpose of giving three cheers to Mr arm; his hores became frightened while Feak and Capt. Lewis, and it was done with a willingness, but they lacked the power of our "Tiger" boys, to do'it as they desired After a short and pleasant run we anchored about two miles off Woodcock's, and the reason given by the Captaia for doing so was, to prevent any one getting on board without tekets, as had been done on his previous trip. I went ashore and found ali astir, and preparation going ou for the trip to Victoria: here a stranger to a mining camp could see and learn much of the habits and life of a miner. The successful miner felt here amongst his chums that he was a from San Francisco, bound for Nanaimo for man of importance, and generally conducted himself accordingly, and you could select oim and the one that was flat broke without was also very thick and the land was not received at Mr. Woodcock's, and were loud

> our Captain was round, and soon had all way. I cannot pass over this part of our voyage without reminding your readers of the sublimity of the scenery that we posts of the H. B Co.'s stations. The entire to be crossed; to those who think that the after we left Newcastle, which is in portion of country extending up to Stekin such will soon be prov d to be othe wise that amidst the apparent deso ation, will upon when you call his attention to such a of the farmers. possibility. Yet such will be, amidst those mountain fastnesses; many a rich mineral cause men to endure what they do but it, bands, of course, are yet very small. will be made to have the railway terminus at five miles back from the river on the south Bute lulet or Bentinck Arm or some oth r side, lies the wnich will yet turn out to be the most productive, and in conclusion allow me to tender to Capt. Lewis and his officers my thanks for their kinduess during my short trip and to recommend the future traveller to Skeena

ing you for giving publicity to my scrawl, I am Dear Sir, Yours most faithfully. A LATE TRAVELLER TO SKEENA R. P. S. In my former communication your printer's devil makes me say that the Otter was on a sand bank for ten bours, it should have been two. Also I said, at Alert Ray, Mr. Nelson had built a dwelling house and a store you have it a dwelling house of stone.

River to go with the same Cuptain and stea-

mer, if he desires comfort and safety. Thank

A Voice from the Mainland.

EDITOR STANDARD :- Since we have been school teachers, whether if they will still be treated as a sort of unnecessary nuisance, or whether the government will consider itself responsible for the intelligence and virtue of New York Times, was presented with a purse leave, on account of the Columbia rivet address, before the trustees and others inter- thieves, says: "The Town Crier has been blocking with ice. Yesterday the Columbia ested in the welfare of the University College employed for some years upon this paper, river was full of floating ice, and the San San Francisco, Rev. W. Alexander, President, and during that period has denounced nearly Francisco steamer had to force ber way in a very able speech, (which should be re- everybody as a thief and a scoundrel, and up; so it is expected by this time the river published in full for the benefit of our Legislators) makes use of the tollowing: The discouraged." extent to which the state should educate may be determined, I think, by the end for which YREKA, Dec. 24-It rained hard all night, she educates. Why does she educate at all? but to-day it has been quite pleasant; it is Her right to do this is derived from the first the other day, to introduce a concurrent reto which there may be any objection will be raining again to night. There is now snow law of life, the right and duty of self-preser-solution requesting the President to open on Scott's Mountain four feet deep. The vation. The very existence of a free govern-negotiations with a view to the annexation of stages from the south came in on time to- ment is conditioned upon the intelligence Mexico and the British Provinces to the day. The snow on the mountains caused the lower rivers to fill so as to be ferried. Cates in order to insure that the body of the storm is so severe it is impossible to citizens may have the requisite qualifications. We fear he is a little too grasping. The keep the telegraph lines working; they are for the maintenance of a free government and to provide instruction for the criminal and The first train from Sacramento this week unfortunate" If the sentiments in the above Uncle Sam - Olympia Tribune. reached Red Bluff on Friday morning. A extract be correct, and no same mind can reheavy mail went through this evening ject them, how then has the government, and The stage company is exerting every nerve people of British Columbia so far, discharged class and patrons that her New Year's Ball the temporary terminus of the North Pacific to get the mails along.

Their duty? What a standing disgrace for win the Royal Exchange Hall, and on no other the town of Victoria, the capital (at present) in the Royal Exchange Hall, and on no other the town of Victoria, the capital of a single day; and would caution her patrons not to very quietly, nothing going on. The day of British Columbia, to be destitute of a single day; and would caution her patrons not to has been wet and gloomy, raining all night; public school, I have often wondered which listen to any of the malicious reports con-The stages came in on time from the south government or the citizens. I notice that who were informed that their presence in her The telegraph lines are interrupted below ized down there; I should not suppose that surprise anyone that such individuals so-k

made for the sensual qualifications; for we read of even that good man Lot getting drunk. What a deplorable prospect it is, for a poor man's lot to be cast in such a community, better to be back in Old England again, for there they are waking up to the necessity of educating the masses. The Franco-German war is opening the eyes of the nations to see He is Closing Out Fast. See Reduction from Form how superior educated human beings are to uneducated, to see in fact that mind should control matter. No doubt that in Victoria here are sectarian schools enough to suit those whose social position and bias combine to enable them to avail themselves of such advantages, but as it has been in England. shouting and rejoicing on shore, and soon the poor man's children must grow up to be mere hewers of wood and drawers of water. were waiting for had arrived, and our Cap- Shall such a codfish aristocratic policy continue to dwarf this now fair province of this young and vigorous Dominion?

I shall wait patiently until I see the programme of the first Responsible Ministry, Essington Civy. On the morning of the 12th, old ship and the greater part of the when receiving on board the "boys" just old crew, thanks to the Civil List Act; but arrived, and a woe-begone crowd they we have new machinery, and if the captain looked; the bear skin soup they had been and engineers understand their business, we may not be at the mercy of dead reck ming altogether.

The school master has been abroad, although on sufferance at \$40 a month, just as much as would suffice to keep a magistrates constable in cigars and cocktails, and has given some useful lessons on astronomy, so that we may hear of the captain and mate taking observations from the sun and stars occasionally. Altogether it is rather hopeful I think, the great beauty about our new system is that if the captain and officers don't suit, the crew and passengers have the power of confidence. This is the real safety valve of Responsible Government, the opinion of the chief inspector of drinks,—the organ-grinder of the present embryo Cabinet,—to a sky adove so clear and hand, with the contrary notwithstanding, - but more auon from the

P. S. Since writing the above I have just been informed that of the two dozen votes cast for Scott in this district, about one-half of them were furnished at Langley. How suggestive? The balance at New Westminster; no doubt, the able leaders in the Guardian stimslated those who voted for him in the Queen City; the new Cabinet organ grinder dont seem to have much influence. River Bank, Dec. 14, 1871.

ance to coming down to Victoria, while not A Trip in the Douglas to Comox and Ports on the Route.

VICTORIA, Dec. 23, 1871. EDITOR STANDARD, -Allow me permissio to lay before the public some of the events of my tour to Comox. I need not describe the scenery, for though new and interesting to me, I presume most of your readers have At 4 p. m. we were all on board, and soon either visited that locality themselves, or between Cook's Ferry and Lytton, and Boston Messrs. Rosenfield & Co., of S.n Francisco, on our way to Victoria After a short run read more graphic descriptions of its peculiar characteristics than I am at precent prepared to give. We left Victoria on Tuesday, the 12th inst., the cabin of the Douglas being literally full of passengers, and the deck piled high with freight.

I FOUND NANAIMO very interesting and romantic town, but as Sound, and to those who desire a pleasant the weather was rather wet and stormy, we trip during the incoming summe, I would had not a very favorable opportunity of view-

morning, and steamed away for Comox, voyage is very little different from river navi- calling nowhere till we arrived at our place of destination. In fact we were told that BEST BREAD in British Columbia is to be had

THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY OF NANAIMO. there nre on y five or six white inhabitant; three or four at Nanouse river, and two on Hornsby Island. We came to anchor in we were v sited by the mail, agent and many

COMOX deposit lies hidden for the present, but will be is a small district, numbering about 200 white inhabitants all told, and nearly 150 Gentlemen's and Children's boots; they are

Washington Teguitony.—Carl Bosco is on Skating.—The St. Nicholas Rink will be Ontheca country being a gold freducing kept by Mr. Horne of the H. B. Company. successful mining camps on this coast, -what chinked with moss, in which the missionaries I say so I speak not from my own personal hold regular services, according to the ritual I say so I speak not from my own personal hold regular services, according to the ritual knowledge, but from what I learn from old of the Church of England. They have like-FROM THE INLET-The steamer Grappler practical miners, such as have returned by wise a school, but I did not receive an introwill be found land for farming purposes, second to none in this Province, so that in a few years you will have a district even of approaced in a late number of the which informed that north of the Omineca country the pleasure of "meeting the scholars FOR NANAIMO. - The Douglas will leave at a few years you will have a district even of appeared in a late number of the STANDARD, FOR NANAIMO.—The Douglas will leave at a few years you will have a district even of 70 clock this moraing for Nanaimo, and return to-morrow afternoon.

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The number of the Standard, stating that they "had five or six feet of assure you that it was quite a mistake. I saw no snow, except on the distant mountains, during the week I staid there, and Sunday, the 17th, which was a very pleasant day indeed in Comox."

ALVANIZED BUCKETS, JAM JARS, NIRSERY LAMPS greater importance to our future general pros- three or four inches at a time thus far, and NURSERY LAMPS. perity. Therefore I do hope that every effort then it has only lain for a day or so. About

> FAMOUS 14 PERT VRIN OF COAL. such should not be done, a great injus i.e There is a passable road to the works, but as BUTTER MOULDS & PRINTS, will be done that portion of this province. Mr. C McNab, Bank of B. N. A. agent, of Montreal, went up in the last steamer to ex QUOITS. amine this mine, and will probably give you SKITTLES, all the particulars, I shall say no more on LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS, this subject at present. I went up to look for land, and I assure you I found plenty. THE ELECTION

> > was rather a dull affair, as the voters generally regarded it as a foregone conclusion. With an increased population, a modified tariff, a cheap government, free schools, and free homesteads, we may expect a moderate share of prosperity in the future.

A SERIOUS LARK .- The medical students of Hava: a, in a spirit of mischief, ricen 'y de-secrated the grave of Gonzales astanon, whose memory is held in high veneration by the people. The students were arrested and tri d by a court martial, Eight of their WHEELBARROWS, number were found guilty and sentenced to nominally in possession of Responsible or death. For a simple lark, this penalty is the Self-Government, I have often wondered what most barbarous we ever read of; but it is in change it will make in the condition of keeping with the character of the Spaniards.

Not APPRECIATED -- The San Francisco Ne vs Letter noticing the fact that Mr. Jones, of the rising generation. In his inaugural of \$50,000 for denouncing the Tammany not a purse has been offered him. He feels

OUR MANIFEST DESTINY .- This is cropping out again. Leave was asked in Congress, dictates of prudence will hardly sanction so large a mouthful It would certainly choke

Notice .- Mrs. Lange wishes to inform ber their duty? What a standing disgrace for will certainly come off on the 1st of January was most to bame for the cosing of the cerning her class and its members, which was most to plame for the cosing of the cerning her class and its members, which public schools in that modern Sodom; the originate and are spread about by persons EDGAR MARVIN'S theatres and such like places, are well patron- class would not be desirable. It will not

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THE FASHIONS, -- Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, of London House, received per ex press yesterday, a large shipment of autum goods, amongst which are Alexander's gloves. To Close Sundry Balances. millinery in all the new styles, including the Dolly Varden Hat, the popular novelty in Europe this season; Dolly Varden costumes, Dolly Varden sashes and caps; also choice Sacks Walnuts, Sacks Pennis lace goods, waterproof costumes, &c. *

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Memory presides over the past. Fell s Roll Butter, Brooms, Pie Fruits. Coffee over the present, The first lives in a rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and one shrine and that is every breakfast table. Its aroma walks the earth like a spirit and can be found for sale at every respectable Chairs, Tables, Burcaus,
Jealer in British Columbia. Beware of spu
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Would it surprise you to learn that the

tured for the holidays, is the largest in the city, and is made from the purest ingredi-

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for the Minister of Marine & Fisheries 16th November, 1871. Sproat & Co.,

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ENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the request of a number of the electors of the above district, I have much pleasure in offering myself as a candidate for the honor of representing you in the House of Commons at Ottawa. at Ottawa.

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I shall endeavor to procure a regular and efficient Mail Service throughout the populous portions of the District.

District.

I shall support any measures brought forward by the Local House for the establishment of a Liberal School System throughout the Province and the appropriation of the necessary funds from the general revenue.

I am in favor of the appointment of County Court Judges in this Province.

I am opposed to the Civil List Act in its present form and should it become matter for legislation at Ottawa I shall advocate its repeal or amendment.

I shall give my support to the Dominion Government so long as it continues fairly and honorably to carry out the terms of Union, especially with regard to the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

In conclusion I promise that should you do me the honor of entrusting me with your interests, I shall at all times endeavor to prove myself worthy of your confidence.

Laws the honor to be Gentlement.

your obedient servant C. F. HOUGHTON.



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1000 Pairs Ladies', Gents', Misses and Children's THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH Columbia invite tenders to be sent in 'te the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, up to noon of the 20th day of March, 1872, for the construction of a Graving Dock at Esquimelt, British Columbia, under the guarantee provided in the twelfth section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:

'The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the works at the rate of five per cent per annum on such sums not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

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The Dock is to be of a clear length of not less than 450 feet, a clear breadth of 90 feet at top and 50 at bottom, and affording a depth of water; at ordinary high tide, of not less than 24 feet on the sill, and to be substantially built upon a site to be selected and provided by the party or parties tendering, subject to the approval of the Government. Parties tendering are required to specify the time within which they propose to complete the Dock.

Thadway are to be sealed superscribed "Tenders for Esc.

Dock.
Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tenders for Eaquimatt Graving Duck," and addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria. British Columbia, and accompanied by plans and drawings, shewing the exact dimensions of the Dock proposed to be built, the mode of construction and materials to be used therein. Parties desirons of tendering, but who may decline Partis desirons of tendering, but who may decline to do so under the guarantee above named as insufficient, are invited to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government or other financial inducement as they may suggest.

Lands and Works Office, 20th November, 1871,

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Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, to Wit. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Petry Session of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said Province of British's olumbia and its Dependencies, will be held at the Police Court Victoria, on Thursday the 28th December, inst., at the hour of Twelve noo, for the purpose of granting Licenses for the Sale of Wines, Spirits, &c., by retail, during the ensuing half year.

nsuing half year.

H. B. GOOD,
Clerk of the Bench of Magistrates.
Victoria, V. I., B. C., 4th December, 1871.

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